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Polio Service For Province

Polio is a communicable disease which strikes usually during the summer and fall. While there is no definite rhythm to the epidemics in Alberta, they are usually several years apart. During an epidemic, a large number of people are infected, but only a few show symptoms, and fewer still show actual paralysis. For those who do show paralysis, a long and expensive period of treatment is usually indicated.

Because of this, in 1938, the province decided to assist in the "after care" of those who suffer from paralysis. This care is provided in a special group of hospitals where special services are available for the care of such cases, and is available to persons who have resided in Alberta for twelve months out of the previous twenty-four months.

Specialists in the polio field feel that patients do better if they are not "rushed to hospital" during the acute stage though special circumstances may make it necessary to take this risk. After the fourteen-day isolation period is over, the province is prepared to pay for the necessary hospital care of those polio cases which actually show paralysis. This service includes the costs of attending ward care, physiotherapy, special splints, the use of the operating room when indicated, and other necessary extras.

Necessary medical service is provided on the wards of these selected hospitals and if surgical operations are eventually needed, that also is paid for by the provincial government. The fees paid to the doctors for ward care and for operations include any after care or out-patient service which may be indicated.

The province does not provide transportation. Application should be made to the municipality where the patient resides, if the cost of transportation creates difficulty. The remaining parties may mean a change in activities for the patient and may require some training for a new way of life. This special service may commence within the hospital. Some times this readjustment commences after the capital period, or continues after leaving hospital. It goes, through the department of public welfare, special arrangements can be made for training which is suitable to the capabilities of the particular patient.

These forms can be obtained from the department of public welfare in Edmonton, or from health unit offices. They are usually available at isolation hospitals.

WHY TREES FAIL

There are four chief reasons why trees might fail to grow. First, the planting material when received may not be healthy or sound or capable of making vigorous growth. Its poor condition may be due to injury during winter in storage or in the field, to improper packing for shipment, to delay or careless handling in transit or to neglect when at destination.

Forest nursery stations of the Canada department of agriculture are the best source of material. Over 5,000,000 trees so that all of the causes of failure mentioned may be eliminated and so that first class material reaches the planter.

A second reason for trees failing is poor planting. Planting done in the soil and not around the tree, or making sure that the soil is packed firmly around the roots is assurance that satisfactory growth will result. Every precaution should be taken against roots being exposed to drying effect of wind and sun. Only in an exceptionally dry spring should planters need to water newly-planted trees.

An unfavorable environment or poor condition will cause trees of fall. Preparation of soil may have been inadequate, there may be grass among the trees, margins of planting may not be well cultivated, and livestock may bruise the trees and disturb the soil near them. If the soil is impregnated with excess salts or is too alkaline few trees will survive in it.

The trees may also suffer from lack of moisture during dry spells. Even late season moisture may cause growth to continue too late in the fall with winter injury likely occurring here. Low temperatures early in winter, light snow cover and much late winter sunshine may also bring about winter injury.

Among the top Canadian acts a re-staged production of Richard D'Oyly Carte's "The Mikado" is set to take part in the first Stratford, Ont. Shakespeare Festival in July are Eric House (left) and Bob Christie (right), pictured above with Al Guinness who will star in the act, in both radio and television.

News Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Leister and family of Red Deer have been in town for the past week holiday at the home of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lester.

Mrs. Walters, son Bill and daughter and her husband were in town last week for a few hours on two separate days. They were former residents of Gleichen but now live at Whitecourt, B. C. When they passed through town they were en route to Saskatoon to visit relatives.

The Calgary Power Company is putting up new poles from the top of the hill at the river to Arrowwood. These poles are set back further from the road than the old ones. The road is going to be widened. If this road leading from Arrowwood to Gleichen was properly fixed up much more traffic would flow over it.

N. T. Purcell left on Sunday evening's train for Nova Scotia where he will spend the next three weeks holiday with relatives. Mr. Purcell was born in Nova Scotia and it is now about five years since he last saw his eastern province. He is a resident postmaster and in his spare time attends to his garden which is a nice one. Sunday he presented us with a nice big basket of strawberries.

Duncan Campbell of Delta, Alta., spent the past week in town visiting his niece, Mrs. G. W. Evans. While here he paid the Calgary Stampede several visits and was greatly interested in its curling contest. He is a great curler himself and has a house full of trophies to show for his prowess as a curler.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wychock and daughter of Acadia Valley spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kamps. Mr. and Mrs. Kamps, Mary and little girls accompanied them and will holiday there for a couple of weeks.

Charles E. Johnston, M. C. Social Credit candidate for Bow River, and Hon. Gordon Taylor, Alberta Minister of Highways and Telephones, will address a meeting in Meadowbrook Hall on Tuesday, July 21, at 8 p.m. At this meeting will be the first showing of the film "The Alberta Story."

From inquiries we are receiving it appears that many farmers, and indeed many other people, are greatly confused about the future price of wheat under the International Wheat Agreement. "What's this talk about lower future prices to farmers?" those people say, "when there is a definite price of \$2.05 set under the International Wheat Agreement." The truth is that it is not at all certain that farmers will receive the \$2.05, for in spite of the present belief of many the \$2.05 is not a definite price but only the maximum above which price cannot go. The only price assured in accordance with the open market price of wheat, which open market price is usually represented by the "Close II" price set daily by the Canadian Wheat Board. What the actual price to farmers will be after Aug. 1st each is quite beyond the ability

of anyone to forecast or to guarantee—World of Wheat.

A meeting of the Canadian Legion Women's Auxiliary was held last Thursday evening in the Legion Hall. A small gathering attended since it was Stampede week and holidays for many. The president, Mrs. H. Bogie opened the meeting in the usual manner and routine business was dealt with. A new member was welcomed to the organization. Two applicants were accepted, Mrs. Mary Evans and Miss Lillian Bogie of Calgary. A full report was read by Mrs. W. Schutte and Mrs. J. Bell on the provincial convention held in Edmonton recently. The annual Canadian Legion Picnic will be held on July 28 at the Bow River. The meeting adjourned and after a March of Jim's a tasty luncheon ended a very pleasant evening.

Sgt. Ldr. A. W. Riddell of Calgary stopped over night, en route to Swift Current, Sask., to a glider meet, at his parents home, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Riddell. Mrs. Riddell and on-tick accompanied him and they will be absent for a week. Hitched to the back of his car on a trailer was his glider. Albert is quite an enthusiastic glider fan.

Mrs. Alena Gladstone, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kinley and family of Gimshaw, Alberta, stopped off on their way to Brandon, Man., to visit Mrs. Gladstone's nieces, Mrs. S. Duncan, Mrs. A. Young and Mrs. J. Price.

Major and Mrs. A. F. Parkinson, superintendent of Eventide Home left last week for a holiday of about three weeks. While repairing a dumb-waiter, a heavy monkey wrench fell several feet and struck Major Parkinson on the head. A number of stitches were required to close the wound. As the injury still bothered the Major he decided to take his holidays now. Major and Mrs. E. Brown are in charge of the Home during the absence of the superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Novstrum and family and Mrs. Callie Miller of Edmonton are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Duncan last Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Miller is Mr. Duncan's sister.

B. Goforth, a 22-year-old Indian from Saskatchewan was sentenced to four years of hard labor in Prince Albert jail when he appeared for sentence before Magistrate A. Horn last week. He had been found guilty of stealing some \$700 worth of clothing and \$20 in cash from Casey's Men's Wear on June 24th. At the time of the robbery the store was damaged by fire.

Al Wilson has gone into the barbering business. His specialty is shaving. When he gets half through with the job has important business elsewhere. You should try his shave. What he does do is perfect and a delight to the customer.

In a few weeks a great sneeze will be heard across the country. It will come from thousands of Canadian hay fever victims who dread the advent of the balmy August-September weather when the pesky mardy sneeze is at its height. Almost all cases of hay fever are caused by an allergy to tiny pollen grains of the ragweed plant prevalent in most provinces. Price

Fire Destroys Skating Rink Tuesday Evening

Fire last evening completely destroyed the dressing rooms, ticket offices and waiting rooms of the skating rink.

It was a little before eight o'clock when Wm. Schmidt, Sr., who was working in his garden, located west of the arena looked in the direction of the arena and saw flames coming through windows of the building. He got busy and sent in the alarm. The fire must have been burning for some time for by the time the brigade and townspeople arrived the whole of the interior was ablaze.

Using gravel trucks several yards of side walls, ice fence and bleachers on the north and south sides were torn away from the burning structure. This prevented the blast from spreading eastward towards the residence of Charles Hatten.

Fortunately there was no wind and since the building was tinder dry it was a roaring furnace and blazed straight upward. For a while concern was expressed that the heat might set fire to the high floor mill located across the street.

A fire truck was twenty years ago and the material was obtained from a large barn located on the site.

Some of the greatest final intermediate hockey championship games ever played in the province were played here and on several occasions every available inch in the arena was taken up by spectators to see these games.

Edward Linton and Nova Scotia claim freedom from this pest and therefore are comparatively free of hay fever sufferers. New Brunswick has had a province-wide campaign against ragweed for the last few years and the pollen count has been reduced to such an extent that its tourist bureau is using "ragweed" as the chief recommendation in its promotional literature this year. Some cities across Canada have had a ragweed destruction program in operation and a notable decrease in the pollen count has been effected. If the bordering municipal governments co-operate with the cities to control the pollen-bearing weed the ragweed pollen count is very great. There remains only the concerted action by municipalities or by the provincial governments to make the latter months of summer enjoyable for everyone.

H. Muhs who has been living at Eventide Home for almost three years died suddenly last Tuesday afternoon. He was born in Chicago and had lived in the province for the past 13 years coming to Gleichen near Brooks. By occupation he was a farmer and retired several years ago. Major E. Brown conducted the funeral service after which interment was made in Eventide cemetery.

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Town & District

Leo and Fran K. Woods and Babe McArthur returned late Sunday evening from an extended tour to points west and south. They report having had a wonderful time.

The weather during the past few days has been just enough to suit everybody. In fact it has been too hot and garden stuff could be seen to wilt.

S. Hampton paid the town a visit during the week end. For some weeks past he has been confined to the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary, recovering from a heart attack. He is slowly improving in health and it will be several weeks before he is able to return to work.

A deputation from the Gleichen School Board attended the meeting of the Bow Valley School District Tuesday, to present the Gleichen and district petition, bearing 389 signatures, for a central high school in Gleichen. The deputation was informed that the government that a representative of the government would come down to arrange the new division boundaries and until this matter was settled no new building program would be undertaken. The petition was left with the Bow Valley School Board for perusal.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT
 Wedding vows were exchanged in United Church, Nanton, Alta., July 4th by Mrs. Glen C. House, Arrowwood, and Mrs. Ethel M. Peckham, Gladys, Alta. C. Dwight Powell, officiating.

Mrs. M. McKeivry and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reese of Winnipeg spent the weekend visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Murdoch.

Jerome Cravens, 74 died at Eventide Home last week where he had been a guest for the past year and a half. He was born in Missouri and came to Canada some 33 years ago and for the past 12 years had lived in Alberta. He came to Gleichen from Calgary. The funeral took place Friday afternoon with Major E. Broom of the Salvation Army officiating. Interment was made in Eventide cemetery.

Mrs. Agnes Ingram, Worthy Grand Matron of Grand Chapter of Alberta O. E. S. paid an official visit to Albert Star Chapter here. While here she was entertained by the members of the Chapter during a day. Having lunch with Mrs. McIntyre and Mrs. McLean at the former's residence and supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kofoed. During the afternoon Mrs. Ingram held a school of instruction for 16 members in the Masonic Hall. A number of visitors were present from Calgary, Huxley, Rockyford, Strathmore, Vulcan and Drumheller. The Worthy Grand Matron was presented with a corsage and later honored by an addenda in which she was presented with a gift of silver. This was followed by a solo song by Sister Eva Collins. Lunch was served following the meeting and toasts and responses brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

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